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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of:	Theo WALLIMANN <i>et al.</i>	Confirmation No.:	4809
Application No.:	09/769,404	Art Unit:	1617
Filed:	January 26, 2001	Examiner:	Shengjun WANG
For:	METHODS OF TREATING BONE OR CARTILAGE CONDITIONS BY THE ADMINISTRATION OF CREATINE	Attorney Docket No.:	8932-296-999

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated July 13, 2007, please consider and enter the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith a Petition for Extension of Time for a period of two months from October 13, 2007 to and including December 13, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.